

CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE:

Presentation by the Greater Lodi Area Youth Commission

Regarding Honoring Teens program.

MEETING DATE:

February 17, 1999

PREPARED BY:

Community Center Coordinator

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Presentation.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Greater Lodi Area Youth Commission, in conjunction with the Lodi Sunrise Rotary Club, Christopher J. Olsen, American Express Financial Advisors, and Central Valley Waste Services is sponsoring a program entitled Honoring Teens. The Lodi Youth Commission Leadership Committee selects one teen to be awarded Teen of the Month from the applications submitted to the commission from the general public, various schools, and church groups. This month's Teen of the Month is Lindsay Thomas from Tokay High School and the Honorary Teen of the Month is Ngoc Nguyen from Tokay High School.

FUNDING: None Required.

Yvette Maragliano

Community Center Coordinator

APPROVED:

H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

Bio for City Council

February Teen of the Month

Lindsay Thomas is a senior at Tokay High. Lindsay has received Principal Awards, is a Hugh O'Brian Award Finalist and has received Honors in several areas of her academic career. She has volunteered for the CIA Can Food and Toy Drive, participates in recycling pick ups, organized visits to Mary Graham Hall, is a Mentor at Tokay high and a Davis Elementary. Athletically Lindsay is on the Varsity Cross Country Team, Varsity Soccer Team Captain, Varsity Track Team and the Water Polo Team Captain.

February Honorary Teen of the Month

Ngoc Nguyen is a junior from Tokay High. Ngoc has received straight A's in an honors program through high school thus far. She is currently working as a SIP representative making presentations to the students about the detrimental effects of drug use.